

Commercial Building  
(King of Prussia Antique Shop)  
U.S. Route 202 (Swedesford Road), just  
west of intersection with PA Route 23  
Upper Merion Township  
King of Prussia  
Montgomery County  
Pennsylvania

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE PENNSYLVANIA	COUNTY MONTGOMERY	TOWN OR VICINITY KING OF PRUSSIA (Upper Merion Township)
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Commercial Building (King of Prussia Historical Society)		HABS NO. PA-5360
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE King of Prussia Antique Shop		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) U.S. Route 202 (Swedesford Rd.) just west of intersection with Pa. Route 23.		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) Late 18th century (King of Prussia Historical Society)		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) unknown
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) This commercial structure was one of three remnant village structures located at the crossroads known as King of Prussia.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Stone bearing walls with wood joists and rafters.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Rectangular, 22'-2½" x 40'-0½"		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE See measured drawings.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) See measured drawings.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Kitchen addition on north (rear) elevation, date unknown. One story addition on east elevation, pre 1960.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Demolished April 1986 by the Mobil Oil Corporation.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE This building is visible at the left edge of an HABS photograph of the King of Prussia Inn. See HABS photo PA-1009-3 (LC Shelf List No.: PA,46-KING,1-3).		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) King of Prussia Historical Society		
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